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MEMORANDUM FOR: Acting Chief, Development Projects Division

SUBJECT : AC/DPD Report on Trip made to Far East

REFERENCE : Memo to DD/P from AC/DPD dated 28 Feb 1961,
subject as above (IDEA-0201)

1. I thought this was an excellent trip report which covered a lot of ground in brief and succinct form.

2. The main item on which I am interested in follow-up is that concerning [REDACTED] I realize that it is costly for [REDACTED] to maintain a capability to fulfill requirements on short notice. I will be interested to know what you will work out to cover and reduce this cost. I am more concerned with the situation described under your [REDACTED] heading but have already passed along to you a request for a statement on this matter I can use at an appropriate time in an effort to work out a better arrangement. Reverting to item under [REDACTED] I have some question about your remarks on the appropriate lines of responsibility and communication as between the use of Agency channels to the field and the use of company channels. I would like to discuss this with you at your convenience (but before you take any action to enforce the policy described in your trip report).

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